

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ROMONT WADDY, : CIVIL ACTION  
Petitioner, :  
: :  
v. : :  
: :  
RAYMOND LAWLER, et al., : NO. 08-286  
Respondents.

O R D E R

AND NOW, this 13 day of JAN 9, 2008, upon consideration of the petition for a writ of habeas corpus, Respondents' answer, the record of the state court proceedings, and the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge David R. Strawbridge, it is ORDERED that:

1. The Report and Recommendation is APPROVED AND ADOPTED;
2. The petition for a writ of habeas corpus is DENIED;
3. A certificate of appealability SHALL NOT issue, in that the Petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. *See 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000); and
4. The Clerk of Court shall mark this case CLOSED for statistical purposes.

BY THE COURT:

BERLE M. SCHILLER, J.